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RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action dated July 29, 2002, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments, without prejudice, and request that the rejections be reconsidered and withdrawn.

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 59 to read as follows:

59. **(Amended)** A method according to claim 46 wherein the DmGPCR is DmGPCR9 having a sequence of SEQ ID NO:22 and wherein the binding partner is a peptide having a sequence of SEQ ID NO:157.

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